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[Despatch Abstract.]

Legislative Assembly Questions - February 1947

Electricity - Scheme for supply of electric power to South Kanara - Papers recorded.

Extract from U.O.Note No. 25/47-2,M.L., dated 10th January 1947.

The concerned Departments of the Secretariat may be informed that Sri A.B.Shetty, M.L.A. has given fresh notice in respect of the following questions which have lapsed as a consequence of the prorogation of the Assembly. The numbers within brackets indicate the old numbers under which they were sent to the Departments.

Department.	Question No.	Subject.
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Public Works Department.	259 (942)	Schemes for supplying electrical power to South Kanara.
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T. HANUMANTHAPPA,
ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE.

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May be circulated to the concerned sections for their information and necessary further action
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W. O. Note No. 203E/47-2 dy 27-1-47

Ref: Madras Legislative Assembly
Qn No. 259 (Starred) re:
Schemes for supplying electric
power to Kamara

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Ky W.O. Note No. 25/47-2 M.L. dy 10.1.47

A report has been called for from the C.E. (E) regarding L.A. Qn No. 259 (Starred) and he is awaited. He is being reminded. The Secy Madras Legislature may be requested to move The Hon'ble The Speaker to grant extension of time for answering the question till 1-2-47.

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ELECTRICITY Department

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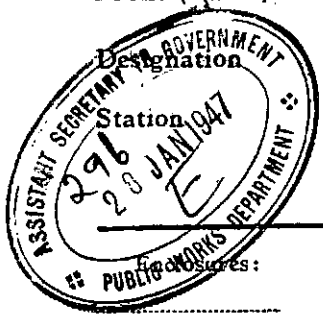
From (Name) Sri G.Sundaram,

Designation Chief Engineer for Electricity,

Station Chepauk, Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
MADRAS.



Enclosures:

No. 5494 G/46-8 dated 25th January, 1947

Sir,

Sub: Electricity -- Supply of power for South Kanara.

Ref: Government Memo No. 203 E/47-1 dated 21st January, 1947.

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As reported in my letter No. 5169 G/44-43 dated 4-1-1947, various alternatives for giving electric supply to the South Kanara area including getting supply from the Mysore Government for the purpose are still under study.

2. The Consulting Engineer to Government considered that there was no economic justification at present for proceeding with field investigations on the power site on the Varahi River. I agree with him. Further, the civil staff required for taking up the field

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investigation is not available. In the circumstances, sub para 2 of the draft answer furnished by me may be deleted.

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3 The following sentence may be added at the end of sub para 1 of the draft answer:

"Other alternatives for supplying power to the District such as taking bulk supply from the Mysore Government are being examined."

V. Venkataraman
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for CHIEF ENGINEER (ELECTRICITY)

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

U.O. Note No. 203 E/47-2, Dated 27th January 1947.

Sub: Madras Legislative Assembly Question No. 259 (Starred) regarding Schemes for supplying Electric power to South Kanara.

Ref: U.O.Note No. 25/47-2, Madras Legislature, dated 10-1-1947.

A report has been called for from the Chief Engineer (Electricity) regarding Legislative Assembly Question No. 259 (Starred) and it is awaited. He is being reminded. The Secretary, Madras Legislature may be requested to move the Hon'ble the Speaker to grant extension of time for answering the question till 15-2-1947.

T.V.NATESA MUDALIAR,
Asst. Secretary to Government.

To: The Secretary,
Madras Legislature.

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Secretariat of the Madras Legislature

Please see on the reverse the notes of the Public Works Deptt. for extension of time till 15-2-47 asked for to answer starred question No 259, may perhaps be granted

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Granted (B.O.)

D.K.V. Raghavan
Secretary, Madras Legislative Assembly.

Dated 3/1/47

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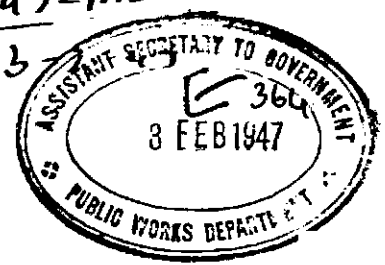

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Draft answer

Sri A.B. Shetty, M.L.A.
Public Works Dept

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*Q.No.259. Will the Hon'ble the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state:-

' Whether the Govt propose to make provision in the next budget for any scheme of supplying electric power to South Kanara ?

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Extension of supply of electricity to ~~the~~ South Kanara Dt has been planned and provided for in the Moyar Hydro-Electric Scheme already sanctioned by the Govt and no provision on this account will be necessary in the next budget.

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Other alternatives ~~of~~ for supplying power to the Dt, such as taking bulk supply from the Mysore Govt. are being examined.

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MADRAS LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

(Starred Question No.259).

Sri A.B. Shetty, M.L.A.,
Public Works Department.

Q.No.259. Will the Hon'ble the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state:-

"(a) Whether the Government propose to make provision in the next budget for any scheme of supplying electric power to South Kanara ?

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ANSWER.

Extension of supply of electricity to South Kanara District has been planned and provided for in the Moyar Hydro-Electric Scheme already sanctioned by the Government and no provision on this account will be necessary in the next budget.

Other alternatives for supplying power to the District earlier such as taking bulk supply from the Mysore Government are being examined.

for Secretary to Government.

To: The Secretary, Madras Legislature (8 copies).
The Hon'ble Minister (Industries & Labour).
The Public (Elections) Department.

(The above answer has been approved by the Hon'ble Minister for Industries and Labour).

P.W.D. n.O. No.203 E/47-4
Dated 6th February 1947

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Legislative Assembly Question - Schemes for supply of electric power to South Kanara.

From the Sectt of the Madras Legislature U.O. Note No.25/47-2 M.L., dated 10-1-47.

From the C.E(E) No.5494 G/46-8 dated 25-1-47

In the U.O. Note extracted on page 1 C.F., the Sectt of the Madras Legislature have stated that Sri A.B.Shetty, M.L.A., has given fresh notice in respect of the following question which has lapsed as a consequence of the prorogation of the last session of the Assembly:-

> Will the Hon'ble the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state whether the Govt propose to make provision in the next budget for any scheme of supplying electric power to South Kanara ?

The question is starred.. The information required in the question was previously obtained from the C.E(E) and an answer was prepared on the basis of the information furnished by him. It is on page 7 C.F. of P.W. memo No.4780 E/46-3 dated 10-1-47. On receipt of the notice of renewal of the question, the C.E(E) was asked to state whether the answer previously furnished by him would require revision, and the Sectt of the Madras Legislature was separately asked not to utilise the old answer until it was confirmed by this dept. The C.E(E) has indicated the alteration on pages 5-6 C.F.

2. Regarding supply of electricity to South Kanara, it is submitted that there are at present two electric supply companies at Udipi (including Karkal) and Mangalore supplying power from generating sets at these places under the licences granted to them by the Govt. The question of supply of hydro-electric power to South Kanara was considered previously and there were three alternative sources of supply viz., extension of Pykara hydro-electric power, purchase of Jog hydro-electric

power from Mysore, and development of hydro-electric power from the rivers in South Kanara. As regards the extension of Pykara power, the C.E(E) at first stated that the loads in the area were not large enough to make the extension (involving very heavy ~~xxx~~ expenditure) remunerative. As the scheme involved long lengths of transmission lines, he stated that it would not be justified ~~dxx~~ during war time and that it could be considered only as a post-war measure. With regard to purchase of Jog power from Mysore the C.E(E) reported previously that 125 miles of 66 KV lines from Bhadravati to Udipi and Mangalore were involved and that high rates for power (one anna per unit) and large minimum guarantees were demanded. He further pointed out that an extension of Pykara power from Cannanore would need lesser lengths of line and that such extension would be more economical than getting Mysore power. The proposal was therefore dropped.. But subsequently ~~xixxx~~ ~~xfxxx

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4. The question whether all or any part of the block of 5000 KW, which the Bombay Govt was understood to have had as their share from the Jog scheme, could not be made available to Madras was examined by the C.E(E) and he reported that the Bombay Govt could not do it.

5. The draft answer to the question extracted at 'X' on page 1 ante, may perhaps be as follows: instead of the answer already sent at p.7 CF of flag (S)

> Extension of supply of electricity to South Kanara Dt. has been planned and provided for in the Moyar Hydro-Electric Scheme already sanctioned by the Govt and no provision on this account will be necessary in the next budget.
>
> Other alternatives for supplying power to the Dt such as taking bulk supply from the Mysore Govt are being examined.

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6. Subject to approval, a draft answer on the above lines is submitted for consideration. The file may be circulated to H.M(I & L) for approval of the draft.

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Please see from p.1 ante. The file may be circulated to H.M.(I.&L.) for approval of the draft answer submitted below

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Supply of electric power to South Kanara.

123 *Q.*—SRI A. B. SHETTY: Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state whether the Government propose to make provision in the next budget for any scheme of supplying electric power to South Kanara?

THE HON. SRI V. V. GIRI:—" Extension of supply of electricity to South Kanara district has been planned and provided for in the Moyar Hydro-Electric Scheme already sanctioned by the Government and no provision on this account will be necessary in the next budget.

" Other alternatives for supplying power to the district earlier such as taking bulk supply from the Mysore Government are being examined."

SRI A. B. SHETTY:—" May I know, Sir, whether the South Kanara district is not one of the few districts which have not so far had the benefit of cheap electric power and whether in view of that fact the Minister will be pleased to see that early supply is given? "

THE HON. SRI V. V. GIRI:—" Certainly. I am myself most anxious to see to it."

SRI M. BAPINEEDU:—" May I know from the Hon. Minister how long it will take to supply electric power to all development firkas? "

THE HON. SRI V. V. GIRI:—" That question does not arise out of this."

Please see the question and answers above. No further action seems necessary. The papers may be recorded in a G.O.

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